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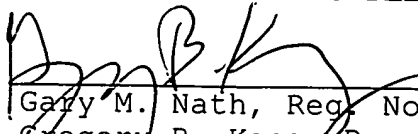
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Sir:

The above-identified patent application received the filing date of March 25, 2005.

It is now May of 2006 and no communication has been received indicating action on the merits. The undersigned attorney requests that status of the application and of the estimated date when a first Office Action on the merits may be mailed.

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